Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, Susan DeLaney was born on October 9, 1926, to Chauncey and Delia DeLaney; and,

Whereas, Birthdays commemorate the first day of our lives, and we celebrate the birthdays of those we love as we recognize the joys and sorrows we have shared, the strength we have gained from the obstacles and hardships we have conquered, and the small daily pleasures life offers; and,

Whereas, Susan attended Black Hills Teachers College and spent many years teaching in rural schools; and,

Whereas, Susan married Al Kary in 1947, they were blessed with eight children; Wayne, Kathy, William, Diana, Joseph, Cindy, Cheryl and Jacque; and,

Whereas, Susan spent many years ranching, farming and producing rodeos with her husband and running a variety of businesses; and,

Whereas, Susan provided a home, love and nurturing to many young people and has been a volunteer for many youth and community efforts, including serving as a 4-H leader for many years; and,

Whereas, Susan has worked tirelessly to assist in the establishment of "The Lord's Warriors" Lutheran ministry and an after school 4-H program; and,

Whereas, Susan will celebrate her 80th Birthday with all the good wishes, fanfare, and celebration such a milestone warrants, as her friends and relatives gather to honor her and celebrate her life and the camaraderie of the day at St. Agnes Hall in Parmalee on October 8, 2006; and it is fitting and proper for the Governor to make note of this milestone in the life of a woman who has lived an exemplary life for all to emulate:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim October 9, 2006, as

SUSAN KARY DAY

in South Dakota, and I join all her many friends and relatives in wishing her a very happy birthday, good health, and great happiness.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifth Day of October in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Six.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State